

BLAZES IN BALTIMORE.
A Heavy Loss by Fire Yesterday Afternoon.
BALTIMORE, Sept. 3.—A fierce fire broke out at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Irwin Brick Co.'s warehouse, fourth floor, 407 West Pratt street. On either side of this building were saw and furniture factories. The inflammable material contained therein fell a prey to the flames and the entire fire department had to be summoned, but before they could check the flames the three large buildings, No. 405, 407, 409, were completely gutted. The losses are: Mrs. D. C. Morgan, owner of the buildings and the machinery which furnished the motive power to the saws, \$35,000; insurance, \$10,000; R. J. Sparklin & Co., manufacturers of corsets, doors, etc., \$2,000; fully insured. F. O. Tinsley & Co.'s saw factory, \$10,000 on stock and machinery; insurance, \$4,000. Irwin Brick Company, Baltimore disk works, \$18,000; insurance \$4,000. Bailey Bros., builders' supplies, \$1,500 on stock and machinery; insurance one-half. The residences, No. 471, owned by John Michael, was damaged by the wall of No. 309 falling through its roof.

A Terrible Scandal at Petoskey.
Special Dispatch to THE TRIBUNE.
PETOSKEY, Mich., Sept. 3.—Intense excitement exists here over a scandal brought to light here last night. Prof. Crane, a resident of this place, has been found guilty of deceiving little girls from 9 to 12 years of age, into his rooms and subjecting them to indecent exposure. The outrage, which is alleged to have been going on for months, has been accidentally discovered by the parents of one of the girls. An indignation meeting was held to-day, the outcome of which is not yet known. Crane has resided here six years and his researches concerning the mound-builders have made him well-known throughout the West.

A Strike Threatened at Muskegon.
Correspondence of THE TRIBUNE.
MUSKEGON, Sept. 3.—The shingle and knot sawyers at the Michigan Shingle Company's mill, lawless for ten hours as a day's work. The men at Brown's mill, North Muskegon, will quit to-night unless ten hours are established as a day's work. Mr. Brown requested his men to sign a written agreement to work ten hours for a proportionate pay, but they would not. All shingle mills on the lake will follow suit and it is more than probable that a general strike in the lumber mills will be ordered this week, unless the ten-hour law is put in practice. — Mr. A. G. Jenson, for ten years in the drug business at Muskegon, will leave for Idaho next week to take charge of the Lewiston College.

Prof. Lodeham Shoots Himself.
YPSICANT, Mich., Sept. 3.—Prof. A. Lodeham, of the State Normal School, has been overworked of late, and last evening, in order to stop the pain of a racing headache, took a dose of chloroform. He had been in the habit of using the drug when tired out, but last evening he became delirious after its use, and attempted to commit suicide. He held the pistol in his mouth, but the ball took an upward direction and it is thought he will soon recover. Much sympathy is felt for him, as he is highly respected and honored here.

Incendiaries at Stanton.
STANTON, Mich., Sept. 3.—Four buildings on Main street burned about 10 o'clock last night. They were F. B. Shewen's wagon shop, John Smith's blacksmith shop, Robt. Leatherly's blacksmith shop, owned by A. Schaffer, of St. Johns, and another building owned by T. N. Stevens. The total loss is about \$1,800. No insurance. The origin of the fire was undoubtedly incendiary.

Marquette Notes.
MARQUETTE, Sept. 3.—Bishop Harris, of Detroit, administered the rite of confirmation to a class of nine at the Episcopal Church, Sunday evening.—Judge Stone and C. R. Hinsdill, are here attending a session of the U. S. District Court.—Mrs. Rosa, of Grand Rapids, is here and will deliver an address at the M. R. Church this afternoon.

Iron for England.
—The Elk River iron ore is in demand for export to England.

A New Newspaper at Cincinnati.
CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—The *Middletown Star*, a two-cent daily paper will make its first appearance to-morrow. It will be independent of politics. Fred S. Brown is to be manager.

Arrested.
Fields, col-smith, July

McCauley's Report.
No Fight at All at Cincinnati and the Referee Withdrawn.
CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—John L. Sullivan arrived here from Cincinnati this morning. He said his fight with McCauley was no fight at all. McCauley did not stand up to him a single round. He was knocked out in the second and the third round, and did not respond when time was called. Three-quarters of the crowd were McCauley's men, who flourished revolvers and bull-dozed the referee. In the third round McCauley was lifted off his feet by his brother and Billy O'Brien who threw him upon Sullivan's neck, to which he clung till time was called. McCauley also attempted several times to throw him by catching him around the legs. During the fight McCauley's brother jumped on the stage and drawing a revolver, said: "Sullivan, if you hit my brother I'll blow your head off." Sullivan says he will pay no more attention to newspaper talk from McCauley, but will wage \$5,000 to \$5,000 he can knock him out in four rounds. He says he will go into training to-night at Seitz's for his fight with Ryan and under the care of McKean and Tom Delsy. He says he hopes Ryan will stand up like a man and not adopt Tug Wilson and McCauley tactics.

The Cry For Help.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The Democratic State Central Committee of Ohio has written an urgent appeal to Gen. Roosevelt to take part in the Ohio campaign this fall. The committee state that the contest will be very bitter and on the result will depend the political future of the party in that state. The committee adds that if successful this fall in the future the state will be reliably democratic. The duties of his office make it impossible at this time for Gen. Roosevelt to accept the nomination.

McGregor Pledges America's Aid.
EDMONTON, Sept. 3.—In yesterday's conference on the land question at Portree, on the Island of Skye, Delegate McGregor, of Chicago, in presenting a resolution describing the pitiable condition of the Crofters and the selfish, unjustifiable policy of the landlords, assured the Crofters of moral and material support from America in the contest for their right to use the land on fair terms.

Striking Glass Workers.
PITTSBURGH, Sept. 3.—The striking glass workers at W. H. Hamilton's bottle factory, to-day induced nine men who had taken their places to leave work. Hamilton anticipated trouble and applied to the police for protection. The request was granted and to-night the factory is guarded by a detail of policemen. A number of flint-glass men from Parker's landing are in the city to aid the strikers in the fight.

An Opinion from Buffalo.
BUFFALO, Sept. 3.—Charles H. Gould, ex-collector of this port and a warm advocate of James D. Warren for the Governorship, says: "Mr. Warren is the most available man. The State in any event will go largely Republican. In my section the whole idea is to remain united and win. If President Cleveland should run for mayor of Buffalo now he could not carry a single ward."

Mails Robbed in Arizona.
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 3.—Near St. John, Arizona, last Tuesday, two robbers held up a stage, rifled the mail and relieved Dr. Yarren, an army surgeon, of \$180. Dr. Yarren was on his way from Washington to witness a snake dance of the Mogul Indians and collect skulls, etc. for the National Museum. He was the only passenger.

A Big Fire at Lynn.
LYNN, Mass., Sept. 3.—Nicholas Weber's four-story ironworks factory burned at 2 o'clock this morning. The loss will reach \$100,000. The flames were communicated to the Electric Light Company's works and an engine house, but no statement of damage done has yet been received.

Disastrous Fire in Albany.
ALBANY, Sept. 3.—Fire to-day destroyed a block of frame buildings extending from No. 98 to 94 Broad street, from 375 to 379 South Pearl street, and 88 Fourth avenue. The loss amounts to \$75,000 and falls upon a score of small tradesmen and occupants of tenements.

Indicted for Conspiracy.
HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 2.—The Grand Jury in Dauphin county this afternoon found a true bill against Dr. Smith Bottomore, Jesse Smith and N. R. Carrington, for conspiracy in defrauding the State of \$12,500, in the matter of the Connelville hospital.

Montreal Must Move.
MONTREAL, Sept. 3.—The Board of Health have been notified that unless immediate steps are taken to stamp out the small pox a quarantine will be enforced by the State of New Hampshire, Vermont, Michigan and by the Province of Ontario against the Province of Quebec.

Senator Quinn Weaker.
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Ex-Senator Quinn, of California, who has been ill the past week at the New York Hotel, was not so well this morning. The physicians report that he is "materially weaker to-day."

THE NEW YORK "HERALD."
A Report that John W. Mackay Will Take It.
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The *Tribune* says: A report is current that John W. Mackay is negotiating with Mr. Bennett for the purchase of the *Herald* with the intention of putting John Russell Young at the head of its editorial staff. Mr. Mackay is interested with Mr. Bennett in the commercial cable, in the construction of which \$5,000,000 is said to have been sunk. For the Bennett's share of this enterprise Mr. Mackay is reported to hold a mortgage on the *Herald*. Mackay's wealth is much talked about in this connection. He is said to have \$21,000,000 in securities looked up in his strong box—namely, \$5,000,000 in United States 4 per cents, \$5,000,000 in French rentes, \$5,000,000 in English consols and \$6,000,000 in state bonds and similar American securities bearing 5 to 8 per cent interest. In addition to this is his cable investment and his interest in the bank of Nevada. The gossip runs that he could back the *Herald* with \$30,000,000.

BASE BALL.
ST. LOUIS.
St. Louis, Sept. 3.—1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 Detroit. 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0—5
Base hits, St. Louis 7, Detroit 8. Errors, St. Louis 2, Detroit 4. Pitchers, Boyle and Weidman. Umpire Sullivan.
NEW YORK.
Philadelphia, Sept. 3.—1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—1 New York. 2 0 7 0 0 3 4 2—18
Game called on account of darkness.
Base hits, Philadelphia 5, New York 18. Errors, Philadelphia 10, New York 6. Pitchers, Koefe and Ferguson. Umpire, Curry.
BOSTON.
Boston, Sept. 3.—1 0 0 0 1 3 3 0—11 Providence. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Base hits, Providence 7, Boston 11. Errors, Providence 15, Boston 5. Pitchers, Whitney and Shaw. Umpire, Ferguson.
CHICAGO.
Chicago, Sept. 3.—2 2 0 0 1 0 4 1—10 Buffalo. 1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0—4
Base hits, Chicago 19, Buffalo 7. Errors, Chicago 7, Buffalo 4. Pitchers, Clarkson and Conway. Umpire, Gaffney.

The Hotel Registers.
AT SWEEP'S—E. L. Peck, Jackson; J. C. Chase, New York; J. B. Trawley, Chicago; A. M. Patterson, Detroit; W. C. Titcomb, Boston; J. Lankota, E. M. Allen, New York; H. T. Chase, Boston; E. E. Frost, Milwaukee; R. N. Murray, New York; H. L. Taylor, Cleveland; M. N. Robinson, Buffalo; G. V. Chapman, Syracuse.
AT THE MAYOR—B. L. Lampert, Detroit; H. C. Cole, New York; G. L. Patterson, Boston; D. M. Jenkins, Boston; A. Wolpert, Toledo; W. F. Abrams, Cincinnati; J. E. Enning, New York; R. H. Darling, Chicago; J. W. Watkins, Iowa; C. Johnson, Detroit; W. F. Baldwin, New York; G. S. Dennis, Chicago; W. J. Kendall, Jackson; E. B. Clayton, New York.

At the Rathen.—Law Tate and wife, De Farber, S. M. How and wife, Saginaw; W. Meyers, Chicago; S. H. Bennett, Minden, Mich.; Chas. Smith, Milwaukee; S. Davis, Muskegon; L. L. McKee, Detroit; John T. Wells, Hamilton, Ont.; John Sweet, Rodney; H. I. Fisher, London, Ont.; Z. E. West, Lowell.
AT THE EAGLE.—H. J. Lewis, Cincinnati; A. M. Middleton, South Bend; G. R. Bates, Petoskey; G. Eaton, Plymouth; H. Bender, Hamilton, Ont.; T. L. Lucas, Hamilton, Ont.; C. Hamilton, Cincinnati; B. A. Oatley, H. W. Jessop, Detroit; J. B. Anderson, Lansing; S. M. Kent, Chicago.

Texas Fever in Detroit.
Several cases of Texas fever have been reported among domestic milch cows in the vicinity of the Michigan Central stock yards during the past few days, one or two of which have ended fatally. The butchers are making great efforts to keep the presence of the disease a secret, but that it does exist is beyond question. The State Live Stock Sanitary Commissioners recently appointed by Gov. Alger under a legislative act of last winter have been notified, and they will probably meet here in a few days to adopt precautionary measures against the spread of the disease. The commissioners are Charles F. Moore, of St. Clair county; Thos. Foster, of Genesee county, and Henry H. Hinds, of Montcalm.—*Detroit News*.

The Detroit "Times" Dies Again.
For precisely one month, beginning Aug. 1, a one-cent paper called the *Evening Times* was published in Detroit. The *Times* company had no capital and no plant of its own. (If the first number 3,500 copies were printed by the *Times* company, it was sold or given away. In about two weeks the regular edition dropped to 500 copies, at which figure it remained until the paper's demise. The deceased was the ninth paper of the same name that was started in Detroit. Only one of the number lived more than a year, and the name "*Times*" has come to be regarded as something of a Jonah in Detroit newspaper circles.—*Detroit News*.

Cleveland's Views Unknown.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Leading Democrats who have accepted positions in the several departments are in receipt of invitations from the campaign committee of Virginia and Ohio to take the stump in those States. So far no invitations have been accepted, as the views of Cleveland upon the subject of government officials actively participating in politics are not known.

The Crickets Coming to Detroit.
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The English Crickets, who have been playing the Staten Island club, left for Detroit this morning, where they will play two days; thence they will go to Canada and return, going at once to Philadelphia.

Another Case at Toronto.
TORONTO, Sept. 3.—Another fresh case of small pox in the eastern part of the city was reported to the health inspector last night and the victim, a woman, was removed to the hospital. This makes three inmates of the hospital, all having a mild type of the disease.

An Examination Ordered.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The Civil Service Commission has ordered an examination at Philadelphia next Monday for positions in the postal service.

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SPRING & COMPANY.
In order to give the readers an idea as to what is expected of us we copy verbatim an order we received on Saturday by a firm who deal in goods not over 25 miles from this city. It reads as follows:
Spring & Company, Gentl—Please send me 25 yards black and white summer silk, good as you can for me to sell for 25c. Send it on the evening mail, it is for a special thing. If you can't get it on the evening mail, do your best. Send bill with goods. Yours truly,

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